

Dear Judiciary Committee:

Article 1 Section 1 of The Connecticut State Constitution states;

ARTICLE FIRST.
DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

That the great and essential principles of liberty and free government may be recognized and established,

WE DECLARE:

SEC. 1. All men when they form a social compact, are equal in rights; and no man or set of men are entitled to exclusive public emoluments or privileges from the community.

Therefore, I should be entitled to use the same tools Police use to protect themselves. You are your own first responder and having the proper tools to defend yourself and your family is what this country was founded on. Furthermore, The Second Amendment does not Gove you the right to bear arms, it merely recognizes a God given human right.

Do not pass the SB 16, I cannot support the rest of this bill that infringes on my Second Amendment Rights in so many ways, especially considering that none of these suggestions will actually accomplish anything.

I also ask that you REJECT H.B. No. 5416

Please SUPPORT the following bills: **S.B. No. 388, H.B. No. 5415 and H.B. No. 5412**

Sincerely,

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